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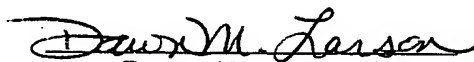
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This is a request for a Certificate of Correction of U.S. Patent No. 6,938,879, issued September 6, 2005.

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Upon proofreading of the patent grant, the following errors were noted and correction is requested:

In the Claims

(1) Column 8, lines 13 and 14, Claim 20 should read as follows:


**20. A seal according to claim 19, wherein said raised surface portion extends around said perimeter mounting surface.**

There were no amendments made to Claim 20 during prosecution of the application. Claim 20 should appear in the patent as filed in the application.

Issuance of a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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